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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : David M. Stern, et al.
U.S. Serial No.: 09/687,528 Examiner: Shin-Lin Chen
Filed : October 13, 2000 Group Art Unit: 1632
For : A METHOD FOR INHIBITING NEW TISSUE GROWTH IN
BLOOD VESSELS IN A PATIENT SUBJECTED TO BLOOD
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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER'S DECISION
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board from the decision of the Examiner mailed October 25, 2006 finally rejecting pending claim 4 in connection with the above-identified application. The required fee for filing a Notice of Appeal under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(b) is TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$250.00) and a check for this amount is enclosed. Applicants are concurrently filing a petition for a three-month extension of time, making this application pending today.

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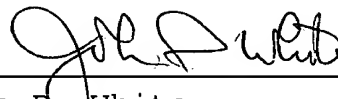
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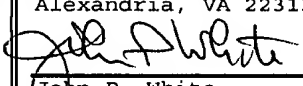
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